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**In the Claims:**

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39. (currently amended) A dental device comprising: female friction fitting means with a pickup means attached to a scaler where said female friction fitting means is connected to a fitting means ~~connection~~ means which is connected to an amplifier which is connected to audio production device where said has a condenser microphone with a receptacle to ~~pick-up~~ receive vibrations from said scaler.

40. (previously presented) A device as in claim 39 in which said audio production device is headphones.

41. (previously presented) A device as in claim 39 in which said amplifier has a volume control.

42. (previously presented) A device as in claim 39 in which said audio production device has a volume control.

43. (previously presented) A device as in claim 39 in which said audio production device connects to said amplifier through a plug being inserted into a plug jack.

44. (previously presented) A device as in claim 39 in which said amplifier has a clip attached to one side.

45. (previously presented) A device as in claim 39 in which said amplifier has a power source connected to it.

46. (previously presented) A device as in claim 45 in which a plurality of scalers can be interchangeable

47. (previously presented) A device as in claim 39 in which said connection means between said pickup and said amplifier is wireless.

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48. (currently amended) A device as in claim 39 ~~in which claim 45~~ in which said scaler is a long dental tool with a scaler tip on one end and a scale male fitting on the other end.

49. (currently amended) A method for root planning comprising using a device female friction fitting means with a pickup means attached to a scaler where said female friction fitting means is connected to a fitting means ~~connection means~~ which is connected to an amplifier which is connected to audio production device where said has a ~~condenser~~ microphone with a receptacle to ~~pick-up~~ receive vibrations from said scaler, using said scaler on teeth and having listened to said audio production device.

50. (previously presented) A method as in claim 49 further comprising having said audio production device is headphones.

51. (previously presented) A method as in claim 49 further comprising having said amplifier has a volume control.

52. (currently amended) A method as in claim ~~31~~ 49 further comprising having said audio production device has a volume control.

53. (previously presented) A method as in claim 49 further comprising having said audio production device connecting to said amplifier through a plug being inserted into a plug jack.

54. (previously presented) A method as in claim 49 further comprising having said amplifier has a clip attached to one side.

55. (previously presented) A method as in claim 49 further comprising having said amplifier has a power source connected to it.

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56. (previously presented) A method as in claim 49 further comprising having said scaler is a long dental tool with a scaler tip on one end and a scale male fitting on the other end.

57. (new) A dental device comprising: female friction fitting means with a pickup means attached to a scaler where said female friction fitting means is connected to a fitting means which is connected to an amplifier having a clip attached to one side and a volume control means which is connected to a power source and to an audio production device where said has a microphone with a receptacle to receive vibrations from said scaler where said scaler is a long dental tool with a scaler tip on one end and a scale male fitting on the other end where a plurality of scalers can be interchangeable and where said connection means between said pickup and said amplifier is wireless.